REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed November 6, 2007, Applicants respectfully request entry of the above amendments under 37 CFR § 1.312. This amendment is being filed prior to payment of the issue fee. The amendment cancels claims 156-163, 165-167, 169-174 and 176-179 and does not change the scope of allowed claims 132-139, 141-143, 145-150 and 152-155.

If there are any charges with respect to this response or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account 09-0458.

Respectfully submitted,

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